

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-2 (Cancelled).

Claim 3 (Previously Presented). The acupressure device according to claim 13, wherein said electrically conductive metal is at least one selected from the group consisting of gold, silver, platinum, copper, iron, stainless steel, nickel, aluminum, tin, and titanium.

Claim 4 (Previously Presented). The acupressure device according to claim 13, wherein said metal member is in the form of a bead, a rounded mass, a nubbin, a disk, a nipple, a nodule, a lump, a knob, a projection, a seed, a bump, a dome, or any combination thereof.

Claim 5 (Previously Presented). The acupressure device according to claim 13, wherein said supporting member is made of at least one selected from the group consisting of cotton, Dacron, polyester, nylon, SPANDEX fabric, plastic, rubber, leather, and metal.

Claims 6-12 (Cancelled).

Claim 13 (Previously Presented). An acupressure device comprising:

a supporting member having an inner side; and

a plurality of metal members attached to said inner side of said supporting member;

wherein said plurality of said metal members are fastened to said supporting member at locations which are in contact with a plurality of acupoints in a treatment zone at a top portion of a human head when said acupressure device is worn on said human head;

wherein said supporting member is a cap;

wherein said treatment zone includes a rectangular area extending from midpoints of two upper eyelids to two Chengling (Gb18) acupoints of said human head;

wherein said plurality of said metal members are in contact with a plurality of acupoints which include Baihui (D20) acupoint, Yingtang acupoint, Shenting (D24) acupoint, Shangxing (D23) acupoint, Xinhui (D22) acupoint, Qianding (D21) acupoint, Houding (D19) acupoint, Zanzhu (B12) acupoints, Meichong (B13) acupoints, Quchai (B14) acupoints, Wuchu (B15) points, Chengguang (B16) acupoints, Tongtian (B17) acupoints, Luoque (B18) acupoints, Yangbai (Gb14) acupoints, Head-Lingqi (Gb15) acupoints, Muchuang (Gb16) acupoints, Zhengying(Gb17) acupoints, and Chengling (Gb18) acupoints of said human head, as shown in Figure 2; and

wherein said acupressure device is an insomniac reliever, a stress/tension reliever, or a anxiety/depression reliever.

Claim 14 (Cancelled).

Claim 15 (Previously Presented). A method for treating insomnia in a human comprising:

placing said acupressure device according to claim 13 on said human to allow said plurality of said metal member of said acupressure device to be in contact with at least one of said acupoints at said treatment zone of said human head.

Claim 16 (Previously Presented). An acupressure device comprising:

a supporting member having an inner side; and

a plurality of metal members attached to said inner side of said supporting member;

wherein said plurality of said metal members are fastened to said supporting member at locations which are in contact with a plurality of acupoints at a treatment zone at a top portion of a human head when said acupressure device is worn on said human head;

wherein said supporting member is a cap;

wherein said treatment zone includes a rectangular area extending from two Yangbai (Gb14) acupoints to two Chengling (Gb18) acupoints of said head;
wherein said plurality of said multiple metal members are in contact with a plurality of acupoints which include Baihui (D20) acupoint, Shangxing (D23) acupoint, Xinhui (D22) acupoint, Qianding (D21) acupoint, Wuchu (B15) acupoints, Chengguang (B16) acupoints, Head-Lingqi (Gb15) acupoints and Muchuang (Gb16) acupoints of said human head, as shown in Figure 3; and

wherein said acupressure device is an insomniac reliever, a stress/tension reliever, or a anxiety/depression reliever.

Claim 17 (Cancelled).

Claim 18 (Previously Presented). A method for treating insomnia in a human comprising: placing said acupressure device according to claim 16 on said human to allow said plurality of said metal member of said acupressure device to be in contact with at least one of said acupoints at said treatment zone of said human head.

Claim 19 (Previously Presented). An acupressure device comprising:

a supporting member having an inner side; and

a plurality of metal members attached to said inner side of said supporting member;

wherein said plurality of said metal members are fastened to said supporting member at locations which are in contact with a plurality of acupoints at a treatment zone located at a top portion of a human head when said acupressure device is worn on said human head;

wherein said supporting member is a cap;

wherein said treatment zone is a rectangular area which is about 1 inch wide between Shenting (D24) acupoint and Houding (D19) acupoint of Du meridian; one of said plurality of said acupoints being Baihui (D20) acupoint;

wherein said plurality of said multiple metal members are in contact with a plurality of acupoints which include Houding (D19) acupoint, Baihui (D20) acupoint, Qianding (D22) acupoint, Xinhui (D23) acupoint, Shangxing (D24) acupoint, and Shenting (D24) acupoint, as shown in Figure 4; and

wherein said acupressure device is an insomniac reliever, a stress/tension reliever, or a anxiety/depression reliever.

Claim 20 (Previously Presented). A method for treating insomnia in a human comprising:

placing said acupressure device according to claim 19 on said human to allow said plurality of said metal members of said acupressure device to be in contact with at least one of said acupoints at said treatment zone of said human head.

Claim 21 (Cancelled).

Claim 22 (Previously Presented). The acupressure device according to claim 13, wherein said acupressure device is the insomnia reliever.

Claim 23 (Previously Presented). The acupressure device according to claim 16, wherein said acupressure device is the insomnia reliever.

Claim 24 (Previously Presented). The acupressure device according to claim 19, wherein said acupressure device is the insomnia reliever.

Claim 25 (Previously Presented). The acupressure device according to claim 16, wherein said electrically conductive metal is at least one selected from the group consisting of gold, silver, platinum, copper, iron, stainless steel, nickel, aluminum, tin, and titanium.

Claim 26 (Previously Presented). The acupressure device according to claim 16, wherein said metal member is in the form of a bead, a rounded mass, a nubbin, a disk, a nipple, a nodule, a lump, a knob, a projection, a seed, a bump, a dome, or any combination thereof.

Claim 27 (Previously Presented). The acupressure device according to claim 16, wherein said supporting member is made of at least one selected from the group consisting of cotton, Dacron, polyester, nylon, SPANDEX fabric, plastic, rubber, leather, and metal.

Claim 28 (Previously Presented). The acupressure device according to claim 19, wherein said electrically conductive metal is at least one selected from the group consisting of gold, silver, platinum, copper, iron, stainless steel, nickel, aluminum, tin, and titanium.

Claim 29 (Previously Presented). The acupressure device according to claim 19, wherein said metal member is in the form of a bead, a rounded mass, a nubbin, a disk, a nipple, a nodule, a lump, a knob, a projection, a seed, a bump, a dome, or any combination thereof.

Claim 30 (Previously Presented). The acupressure device according to claim 19, wherein said supporting member is made of at least one selected from the group consisting of cotton, Dacron, polyester, nylon, SPANDEX fabric, plastic, rubber, leather, and metal.